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SUBJECT: DIVIDED FAMILIES

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1. DEPUTY CHIEF OF MFA

CONSULAR DEPARTMENT, CERVENKA, TOLD
EMBASSY OFFICER JULY 17 THAT SINCE SECRETARY'S VISIT, FOREIGN
MINISTER CHNOUPEK HAS MADE KNOWN AT MINISTRY HIS DESIRE THAT
DIVIDED-FAMILIES QUESTION BE RESOLVED SOONEST.

2. CERVENKA, WHO CLAIMS RESPONSIBILITY FOR RECOMMENDING MFA
POSITION ON MATTER TO CHNOUPEK, SAYS HE IS WORKING WITH INTERIOR
MINISTRY OFFICIALS TO DETERMINE WHETHER LISTED PEOPLE HAVE
REQUESTED PERMISSION TO EMIGRATE. REPLYING TO HIS COMMENT THAT
SOME POSSIBLY HAD NOT DONE SO AND THAT THIS WOULD INDICATE THEY
DID NOT WANT TO EMIGRATE, EMBOFF STATED EMBASSY'S UNDERSTANDING
THAT IN ALL CASES APPLICATION FOR EMIGRATION PASSPORT HAD BEEN
SUBMITTED BUT TURNED DOWN. CERVENKA CONCEDED THAT THIS MAY BE
CASE, ADDED THAT INTERIOR MINISTRY HAS NOT LOCATED
ALL PERTINENT RECORDS YET, AND SAID THAT IF APPLICATIONS
IN FACT HAD BEEN TURNED DOWN, FAVORABLE RESOLUTION OF
CASES MAY BE POSSIBLE.

3. CERVENKA SAID HIS RECOMMENDATIONS TO CHNOUPEK

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